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To: All Market Administrators

From: H. L. Forest, Deputy Director

Subject: Changes in April Deliveries,
Sales and Prices



Attached is a summary of reports from all Federal order markets covering producer deliveries of milk, fluid milk sales, and Class I and blend prices and buttermilk differentials for April 1952. This summary is based upon information submitted by market administrators in accordance with paragraph III A, "Advance Data from Pool Computations," of market administrator instruction No. 15, dated October 30, 1951.

In accordance with paragraph II B of market administrator instruction No. 14, dated October 9, 1951, the receipts and sales data contained herein are for administrative use only.

H. L. Forest

Attachments.

Minimum Class I prices under Federal order markets, f.o.b. marketing area unless otherwise indicated, and handler butterfat differentials

Market	Basic : b. f. : : test : : Percent :	1952		Prices Dollars per 100 pounds		1951		1952		Handler differentials	
		Apr.	Mar.	Apr.	Mar.	Apr.	Mar.	Apr.	Mar.	Apr.	Apr.
		Cents		Cents		Cents		Cents		Cents	
Boston, 201-210 mile zone	3.7	5.43	5.65	5.43	5.43	5.43	5.43	9.3	10.6	8.9	
Cedar Rapids-Iowa City	3.5	4.394	4.72					10.22	11.69		
Chicago: Grade A, 55-70 mile zone	3.5	4.778 2/	4.984 2/			4.476 3/		8.4	8.8	8.0	
Cincinnati	3.5	5.008	5.487			5.126		11.16	12.46	11.80	
Cleveland	3.5 1/4	4.849	4.938			4.632		9.55	9.73	9.12	
Columbus	3.5 1/4	4.979	5.038			4.482		10.47	10.84	9.74	
Dayton-Springfield: Grade A 5/	3.5 1/4	4.896	5.407*			4.636		9.30	9.68	8.85	
Detroit	3.5	5.133	5.29					9.5	10.0		
Dubuque	3.5	4.402	4.654			4.339		10.22	11.69	9.34	
Duluth-Superior	3.5	5.13	5.321			4.598		10.7	11.5	8.4	
Fall River	3.7	6.240	6.460			6.240		9.3	10.7	8.9	
Fort Wayne	4.0	4.390	5.200			4.600		9.1	9.5	8.6	
Kansas City	3.8	5.617	6.365			5.063		9.49	10.85	8.67	
Knoxville	4.0	5.778	6.660			5.332		9.5	10.9	9.3	
Lima	3.5 1/4	4.599	4.838			4.482		10.04	10.79	10.14	
Louisville	3.8	5.270	5.370			4.926		8.7	9.1	8.6	
Lowell-Lawrence, 20 mile zone	3.7	5.95	6.17			5.95		9.3	10.7	8.9	
Memphis	4.0	5.88	6.28			5.48		9.12	10.44	8.34	
Milwaukee	3.5	4.738	4.944			4.436		8.4	8.8	8.0	
Minneapolis-St. Paul	3.5	4.249	4.338			4.132		8.94	9.25	8.50	
Muskogee	4.0	5.836	6.481					9.12	10.44		
Nashville	4.0	5.658	6.10			5.282		9.5	10.9		
Neosho Valley, Kansas-Missouri	4.0	5.475	6.081					9.12	10.44		
New Orleans, 61-70 mile zone	4.0 1/4	6.580	6.580			6.220		11.31	11.31	10.69	
New York, 201-210 mile zone 6/	3.5	5.19	5.60			5.48		4.0	4.0	4.0	
North Texas	4.0	6.386	6.631					9.1	10.4		
Oklahoma City	4.0	6.236	6.481			5.765		9.13	10.44	8.34	
Omaha-Council Bluffs	3.8 1/4	4.86	5.69			4.73		9.99	12.09	9.18	
Paducah	4.0	4.724	5.438			4.482		8.4	8.8	8.0	
Philadelphia	4.0	5.840	6.240			5.640		5.0	5.0	5.0	

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Minimum Class I prices under Federal order markets, f.o.b. marketing area unless otherwise indicated, and handler butterfat differentials

Market	Basic	Prices		Handler differentials		Continued
		1952	Mar	1952	Apr	
	b. f.	Dollars per 100 pounds		1952	Apr	1951
	test	Apr.	Mar	Apr.	Mar.	Apr.
	Percent:				Cents 1/	
Puget Sound, Washington	4.0	6.256	6.444	10.5	11.3	-
Quad Cities	3.5	4.978	5.184	10.22	11.69	9.34
Rockford-Freepoint: Grade A	3.5	4.758	4.964	9.5	10.9	8.7
St. Louis	3.5	4.629	5.526	9.1	10.4	8.3
Sioux City	3.5	4.65	5.25	10.09	11.79	9.28
South Bend-LaPorte	3.5	4.878	5.084	10.84	11.43	8.81
Springfield, Massachusetts	3.7	5.95	6.17	9.3	10.7	8.9
Springfield, Missouri	3.5	4.509	5.256	9.1	10.4	8.3
Toledo	3.5	4.999	5.313	9.1	9.5	8.6
Topeka	3.8	5.617	6.237	9.80	10.05	8.90
Tri-State: Huntington Plants 7/	3.5	5.199	5.438	9.4	9.8	9.0
Tulsa	4.0	5.836	6.481	9.12	10.44	8.34
Wichita	3.8	5.817	6.237	8.4	8.8	8.0
Worcester	3.7	5.95	6.17	9.3	10.7	8.9

* Corrected price.

1/ For each one-tenth of one percent above or below basic butterfat test.

2/ Grade B 10 cents less.

3/ 70 mile zone.

4/ This market is on a butterfat and skim basis; prices reported here computed for the butterfat test shown.

5/ Non-Grade A prices 25 cents less.

6/ Class I-A price.

7/ Prices at plants other than Huntington 20 cents less.

Compiled by the Program Analysis and Development Division, Dairy Branch, P.M.A., from reports of the market administrators.

Minimum uniform or weighted average of handlers' prices under Federal order markets
f.o.b. marketing area unless otherwise indicated, and producer butterfat differentials

Market	Basic		Prices		Dollars per 100 pounds		Producer differentials	
	b. f.	test	1952	1952	1951	1952	1952	1951
	Percent	Percent	Apr.	Mar.	Apr.	Apr.	Mar.	Apr.
							Cents 17	
Boston, 201-210 mile zone	3.7		4.56	4.93	4.35	9.3	10.6	8.9
Cedar Rapids-Iowa City	3.5		4.13	4.47	-	8.39	8.76	-
Chicago: Grade A, 55-70 mile zone	3.5		4.38	4.58	4.09 2/	8.4	8.8	8.0
Cincinnati: Grade A 3/	3.5		4.57	5.07	4.68	7.0	8.0	7.0
Cleveland	3.5		4.47	4.62	4.32	9.0	9.3	8.7
Columbus	3.5		4.50	4.89	4.34	9.4	9.5	8.6
Dayton-Springfield: Grade A	3.5		4.61	5.16	4.36	8.4	9.1	8.0
Non-Grade A	3.5		4.42	4.96	4.17	8.4	9.1	8.0
Detroit 4/	3.5		4.81	5.04	-	7.5	8.0	-
Dubuque	3.5		4.20	4.52	3.98	8.39	8.76	7.98
Duluth-Superior	3.5		4.56	4.90	3.99	9.6	10.3	8.4
Fall River, 20 mile zone	3.7		5.918*	6.266*	5.985*	9.3	10.7	8.9
Fort Wayne	4.0		4.23	4.85	4.400	8.0	8.4	7.6
Kansas City	3.8		5.32	6.16	4.78	7.4	7.7	7.0
Knoxville 4/	4.0		5.45	6.38	5.11	8.4	8.8	8.0
Lima	3.5		4.41	4.69	4.37	9.7	10.5	10.0
Louisville 5/	3.8		4.330	5.110	4.380	7.5	8.0	7.0
Lowell-Lawrence 6/	3.7		5.74	6.04	5.60	9.3	10.7	8.9
Memphis 4/	4.0		6.383*	6.070*	5.220*	7.5	8.0	7.0
Milwaukee 4/	3.5		4.550*	4.790*	4.265*	8.4	8.8	8.0
Minneapolis-St. Paul	3.5		4.116*	4.191*	3.901*	8.6	8.9	8.2
Muskogee 4/	4.0		5.34	6.12	-	8.4	8.8	-
Nashville 4/	4.0		5.20	5.70	4.42 7/	8.4	8.8	8.0
Neosho Valley 4/	4.0		5.25	5.98	-	8.4	8.8	-
New Orleans, 61-70 mile zone 4/	4.0		5.669*	5.867*	5.327*	9.2	10.2	8.8
New York, 201-210 mile zone	3.5		4.23	4.56	4.14	6.4	6.2	6.2
North Texas 4/	4.0		6.01	6.40	-	8.4	8.8	-
Oklahoma City 4/	4.0		5.82	6.14	5.267	8.4	8.8	8.0
Omaha-Council Bluffs	3.8		4.74	5.57	4.62	8.0	9.0	8.0
Paducah	4.0		4.72	5.41	4.39	7.5	8.0	7.0
Philadelphia	4.0		5.339*	5.828*	5.182*	5.0	5.0	5.0
Puget Sound 4/	4.0		5.487	5.894	-	9.23	10.3	-
Quad Cities	3.5		4.68	4.94	4.29	9.7	11.2	7.98
Rockford-Freeport	3.5		4.49	4.73	4.254*	8.4	8.8	8.0

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Minimum uniform or weighted average of handlers' prices under Federal order markets

f.o.b. marketing area unless otherwise indicated, and producer butterfat differentials - Cont'd

Market	Prices				Producer differentials			
	Basic	1952	1951	1950	1952	1951	1950	1949
	b. f.	test	Percent	Dollars per 100 pounds	Apr.	Mar.	Apr.	Mar.
St. Louis	3.5	4.54*	5.49*	4.38*	8.4	8.8	8.8	8.0
Sioux City	3.5	4.51	5.08	4.37	8.4	8.8	8.8	8.0
South Bend-La Porte	3.5	4.82	5.08	4.32	8.4	8.8	8.8	8.0
Springfield, Massachusetts 6/	3.7	5.61	5.91	5.52	9.3	10.7	10.7	8.9
Springfield, Missouri	3.5	4.28	5.06	3.91	8.4	8.8	8.8	8.0
Toledo	3.5	4.838*	5.208*	4.504*	8.5	9.0	9.0	8.0
Topeka	3.8	5.51	6.14	4.57	7.4	7.7	7.7	7.0
Tri-State: Huntington Plants	3.5	5.011	5.327	4.736	8.4	8.8	8.8	8.0
Other Plants	3.5	4.814	5.131	4.543	8.4	8.8	8.8	8.0
Tulsa 4/	4.0	5.55	6.30	5.44	8.4	8.8	8.8	8.0
Wichita 4/	3.8	5.600	6.097	4.871	8.4	8.8	8.8	8.0
Worcester 6/	3.7	5.64	5.96	5.63	9.3	10.7	10.7	8.9

* Individual-handler pool. Weighted average of handlers' prices.

1/ For each one-tenth of one percent above or below basic butterfat test. 2/ 70 mile zone.

3/ Grade B 40 cents less.

4/ Weighted average price:

	Base Price			Excess Price		
	Apr. 1952	Mar. 1952	Apr. 1951	Mar. 1952	Apr. 1952	Apr. 1951
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Detroit	5.00	5.20	5.41	3.95	4.11	-
Knoxville	5.71	-	-	4.58	-	-
Memphis	5.81	6.22	5.41	4.33	4.78	3.95
Milwaukee	4.605	-	-	3.72	-	-
Muskogee	5.78	-	-	4.08	-	-
Nashville	5.55	5.92	-	3.92	4.34	-
Neosho Valley	5.47	-	-	4.62	-	-
New Orleans	6.244	-	5.750	3.708	-	3.492
North Texas	6.37	-	-	4.95	-	-
Oklahoma City	6.22	-	5.66	4.63	-	3.42
Puget Sound	5.99	6.20	-	3.95	4.28	-
Tulsa	5.80	-	5.76	4.56	-	3.98
Wichita	5.80	6.24	5.07	4.69	5.30	3.51

5/ Does not include 47¢ for April 1952 and 26¢ for April 1951 withheld for fall production payment.

6/ Farms located in nearby zones. 7/ Does not include 45¢ withheld for fall production payment.

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Daily producer deliveries of milk under Federal order markets, selected months (1,000 pounds)

Market	1952			1951			Percentage change	
	Apr.	Mar.		Apr.	Mar.		from previous 1/	Year
Boston	4,424	3,875		4,511*			+ 14.2	- 1.9
Chicago	11,308	10,635		11,399			+ 6.3	- 0.8
Cincinnati	1,110	965		985			+ 15.1	+ 12.7
Cleveland	2,324	2,101		1,961			+ 10.6	+ 18.5
Columbus	639	594		627			+ 7.5	+ 1.9
Dayton-Springfield	711	650		662			+ 9.4	+ 7.4
Dubuque	93	81		100			+ 15.5	- 6.2
Duluth-Superior	343	290		334			+ 18.2	+ 2.7
Fall River	156	150		163			+ 4.0	- 4.3
Fort Wayne	302	289		256			+ 4.7	+ 17.9
Kansas City	802	735		834			+ 9.1	- 3.8
Knoxville	270	238		248			+ 13.8	+ 9.2
Lima	91	83		91			+ 9.5	- 0.5
Louisville	753	667		664			+ 12.8	+ 13.4
Memphis	440	404		443			+ 9.1	- 0.5
Milwaukee	1,239	1,172		1,229*			+ 5.8	+ 0.9
Minneapolis-St. Paul	2,220	2,156		2,291*			+ 2.9	- 3.1
Nashville	398	360		393			+ 10.5	+ 1.2
New Orleans	742	692		684			+ 7.3	+ 8.6
Oklahoma City	386	365		324			+ 5.8	+ 19.0
Omaha-Council Bluffs	318	361		380			- 11.8	- 16.3
Paducah	76	65		69			+ 17.1	+ 10.7
Philadelphia	3,311	3,067		3,275*			+ 7.9	+ 1.1
Quad Cities	393	366		410*			+ 7.5	- 4.1
Rockford-Freeport	132	124		132			+ 7.0	+ 0.4
St. Louis	1,340	1,219		1,266			+ 9.9	+ 5.8
Sioux City	149	143		125			+ 3.7	+ 18.4
South Bend-La Porte	266	246		249			+ 8.4	+ 7.0
Springfield, Mass.	542	507		545*			+ 7.0	- 0.5
Springfield, Mo.	382	316		334			+ 20.9	+ 14.5

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Daily producer deliveries of milk under Federal order markets, selected months (1,000 pounds)

Market	Continued				
	Producer deliveries		Percentage change		
	1952	1951	from previous	1/	
	Apr.	Mar.	Month	Year	
Toledo	506	479	503	5.6	+ 0.6
Topeka	117	111	115	5.4	+ 1.7
Tri-State	391	343	354	14.0	+ 10.3
Tulsa	336	299	296	12.2	+ 13.3
Wichita	277	260	249	6.7	+ 11.2
Worcester	319	305	337	4.7	- 5.2
Sub-total	37,609	34,711	36,838	8.4	+ 2.1
New York	22,153	19,908	21,751	11.3	+ 1.8
Sub-total	59,763	54,619	58,589	9.4	+ 2.0
Cedar Rapids-Iowa City	281	263	-	6.7	-
Detroit	3,933	3,703	-	6.2	-
Lowell-Lawrence	390	367	2/	6.2	-
Muskogee	105	92	-	14.2	-
Neosho Valley, Kans.-Mo.	214	192	-	11.2	-
North Texas	1,622	1,510	-	7.4	-
Puget Sound	1,865	1,627*	-	14.7	-
TOTAL	68,172	62,374	-	9.3	-

* Revised.

1/ Computed from unrounded figures.

2/ Marketing area increased, comparable data not available.

Computed by the Program Analysis and Development Division, Dairy Branch, P.M.A.
from reports of the market administrators.

Daily Fluid Sales $\frac{1}{2}$ of milk under Federal order markets, in area, selected months (1,000 pounds)

Market	Fluid milk sales		Percentage change	
	1952	1951	from previous	Year
	Apr.	Mar.	Month	Year
Boston	1,946	1,930	+ 0.9	+ 2.2
Chicago	5,182	5,184	0	+ 2.0
Cincinnati	676	682	- 0.9	+ 4.1
Cleveland	1,434	1,424	+ 0.7	+ 8.5
Columbus	476	465	+ 2.3	+ 7.0
Dayton-Springfield	484	481*	+ 0.5	+ 4.7
Dubuque	59	60	- 2.8	- 0.6
Duluth-Superior	160	165	- 3.3	- 2.5
Fall River	122	120	+ 1.4	- 1.4
Fort Wayne	126	125	+ 1.2	- 5.2
Kansas City	612	621	- 1.3	+ 2.5
Knoxville	236	239	- 1.5	+ 2.4
Lima	87	87	+ 0.6	- 0.3
Louisville	509	515	- 1.1	- 0.3
Memphis	371	371	- 0.2	+ 0.3
Milwaukee	895	895	- 0.1	+ 1.1
Minneapolis-St. Paul	1,191	1,202	- 0.9	+ 0.9
Nashville	315	321	- 1.9	+ 3.9
New Orleans	483	486	- 0.6	+ 7.6
Oklahoma City	317	321	- 1.3	+ 24.0
Omaha-Council Bluffs	279	281	- 0.5	+ 2.3
Paducah	67	62	+ 9.3	+ 59.7
Philadelphia	2,064	2,042	+ 1.0	+ 1.8
Quad Cities	289	285*	+ 1.5	+ 9.4
Rockford-Freeport	88	88	+ 0.7	+ 1.3
St. Louis	1,002	1,010	- 0.8	+ 3.5
Sioux City	78	79	- 0.7	+ 4.5
South Bend-La Porte	229	228	+ 0.3	+ 6.6
Springfield, Mass.	386	381	+ 1.3	+ 2.3

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Daily Fluid Sales 1/ of milk under Federal order markets, in area, selected months (1,000 pounds)

Market	Fluid milk sales				Percentage change	
	1952 Apr.	1952 Mar.	1951 Apr.	1951 Mar.	from previous Month	2/ Year
Toledo	442	444	415	415	- 0.6	+ 6.4
Topeka	84	85	76	76	- 0.7	+ 9.9
Tri-State	345	346	324	324	- 0.2	+ 6.6
Tulsa	228	227	209	209	0	+ 8.8
Wichita	192	192	167	167	- 0.2	+ 14.9
Worcester	271	270	279	279	+ 0.5	- 2.7
Sub-total	21,724	21,714	21,008	21,008	0	+ 3.4
New York	8,476	8,470	8,456	8,456	+ 0.1	+ 0.2
Sub-total	30,200	30,185	29,464	29,464	+ 0.1	+ 2.5
Cedar Rapids-Iowa City	116	117	-	-	- 1.1	-
Detroit	2,849	2,886	-	-	- 1.3	-
Lowell-Lawrence	262	258	3/	3/	+ 1.6	-
Muskogee	42	42	-	-	- 0.9	-
Neosho Valley, Kans.-Mo.	178	188	-	-	- 5.2	-
North Texas	1,199	1,136*	-	-	+ 5.6	-
Puget Sound	1,050	1,042*	-	-	+ 0.8	-
Springfield, Mo.	70	81	4/	4/	- 13.2	-
TOTAL	35,967	35,934	-	-	+ 0.1	-

* Revised.

1/ Includes fluid milk drinks.

2/ Computed from unrounded figures.

3/ Marketing area increased, comparable data not available.

4/ Not available.

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